

Alternative A: Recreational Focus–Ka'awaloa

Kealakekua Bay State Historical Park

Master Plan

South Kona, Hawai'i

LEGEND

- Park Boundary
- TMK Parcels
- Ka'awaloa Cove (snorkeling area)
- Pali Rockfall Hazard
- Ka'awaloa Flat Archaeological Zone

Vegetation

- Non-native Forest
- A'a Lava
- Cliff and Scree
- Coastal Strand

Circulation

- Unimproved Road
- Historic Trail
- Historic Trail – Closed
- Unimproved Path

Features

- Views
- Kayak Launch/Landing; permitted guided tours only
- Fair Wind Mooring
- Sign: "No Commercial Activity without a permit, No Launching, Operation, or Landing Vessels without a Permit"

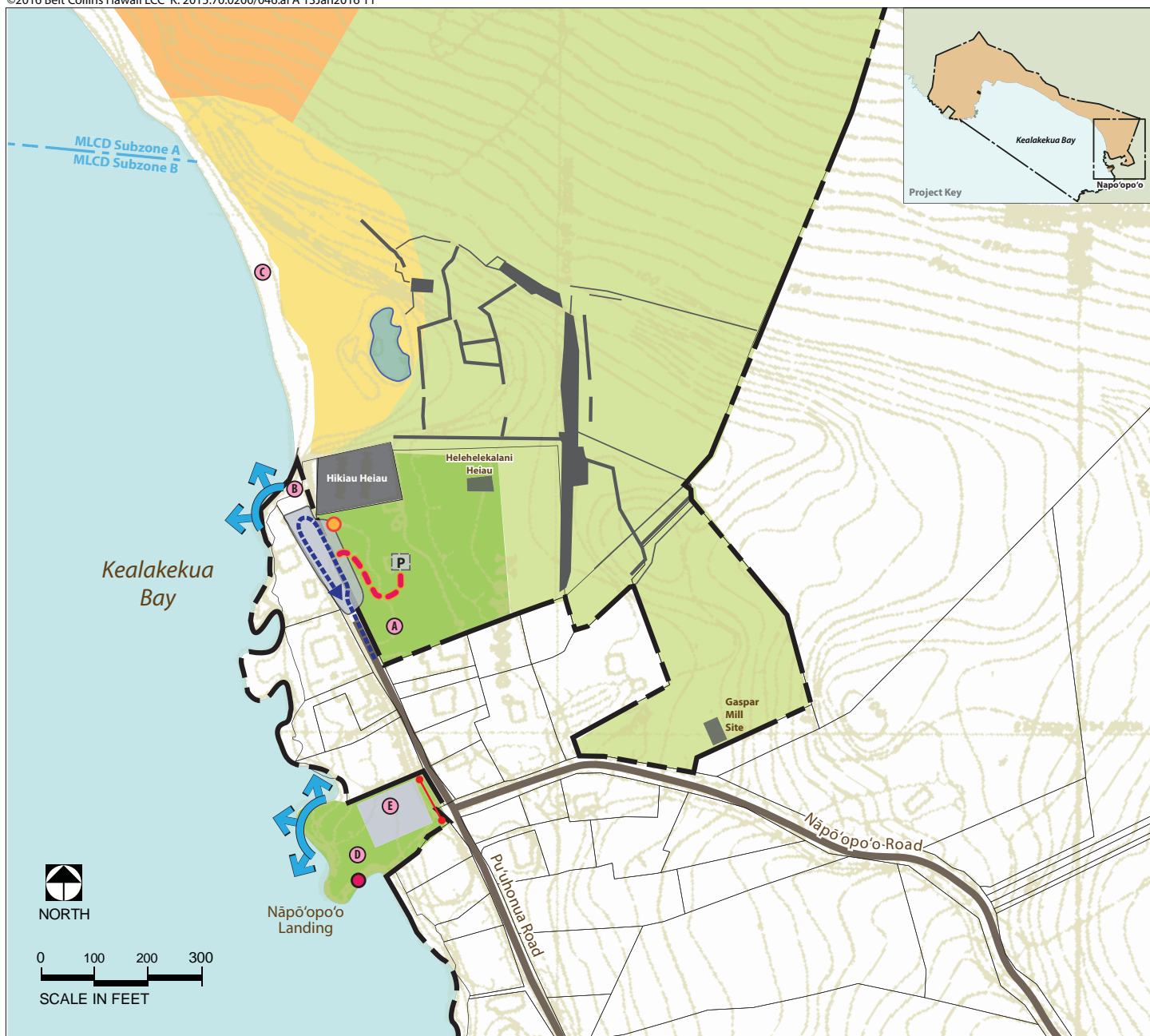
- Welcome Sign at Park Entry

- Waterless Toilet
- Seating Area (cleared vegetation)
- Rockfall Hazard Buoys
- State Park Boundary Buoys
- Swim-Snorkel/No Powerboat Zone

Elements

- Captain Cook Monument and Wharf
- 'Āwili; storm beach landing and kayak storage for permitted guided tours





No Action–Nāpō'opo'o

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LEGEND

- Park Boundary
- TMK Parcels
- Parking (~25 stall capacity; State Park and County road shoulder)

Vegetation

- Non-native Forest
- Ornamental Landscaping
- Cliff and Scree
- Coastal Strand

Circulation

- County Road
- Primary Vehicular Circulation

- Controlled Access (locked gate)
- Accessible Pedestrian Path

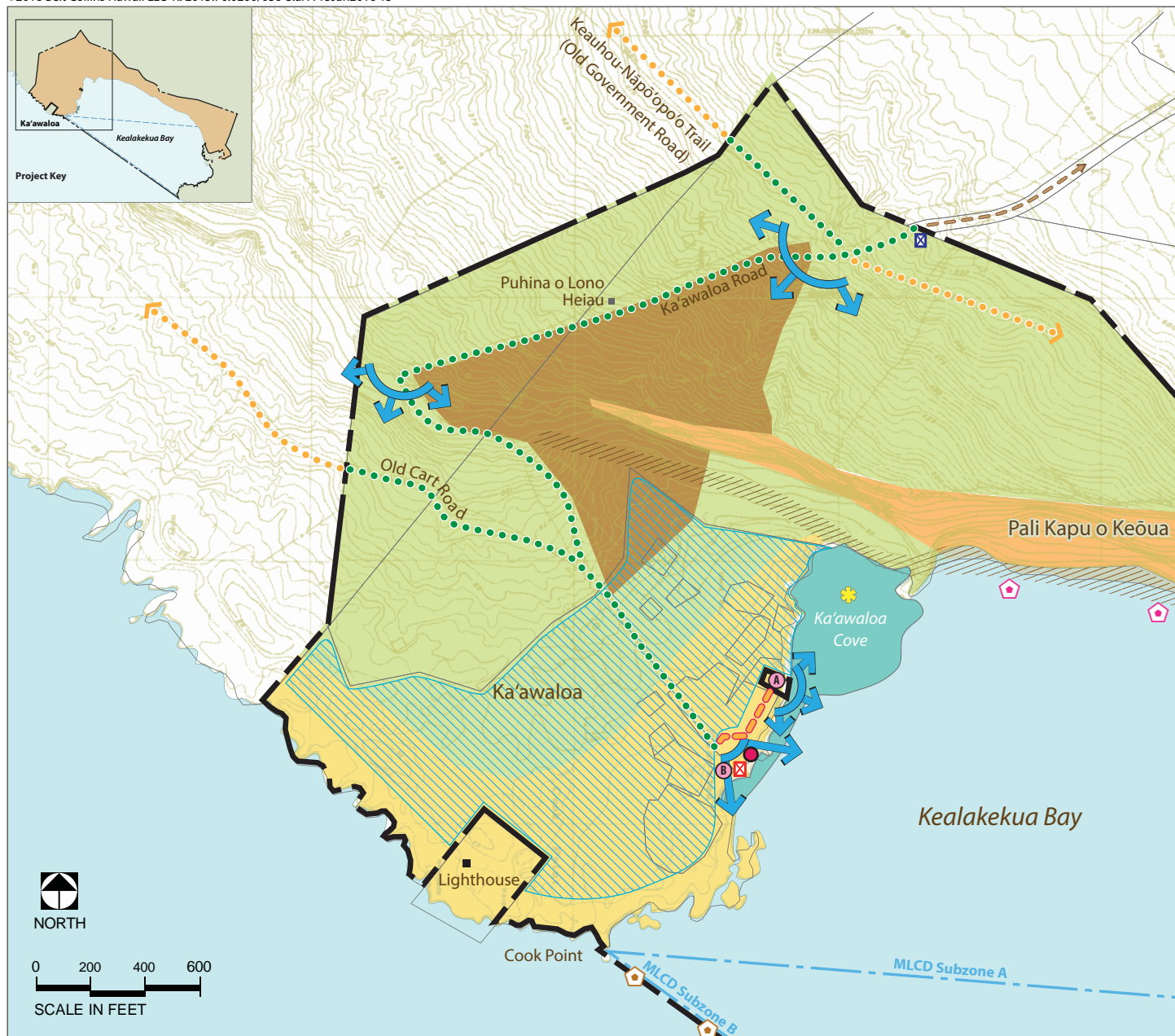
Features

- Historic Site
- Pond
- Pavilion (Restroom, shower)
- Views
- Park Sign
- Kayak/Vessel Launch

Elements

- Existing community park facilities and grass field
- Bay overlook, marine life interpretation, and park rules signage
- Nāpō'opo'o Beach
- Permitted kayak tour staging
- Restricted Parking





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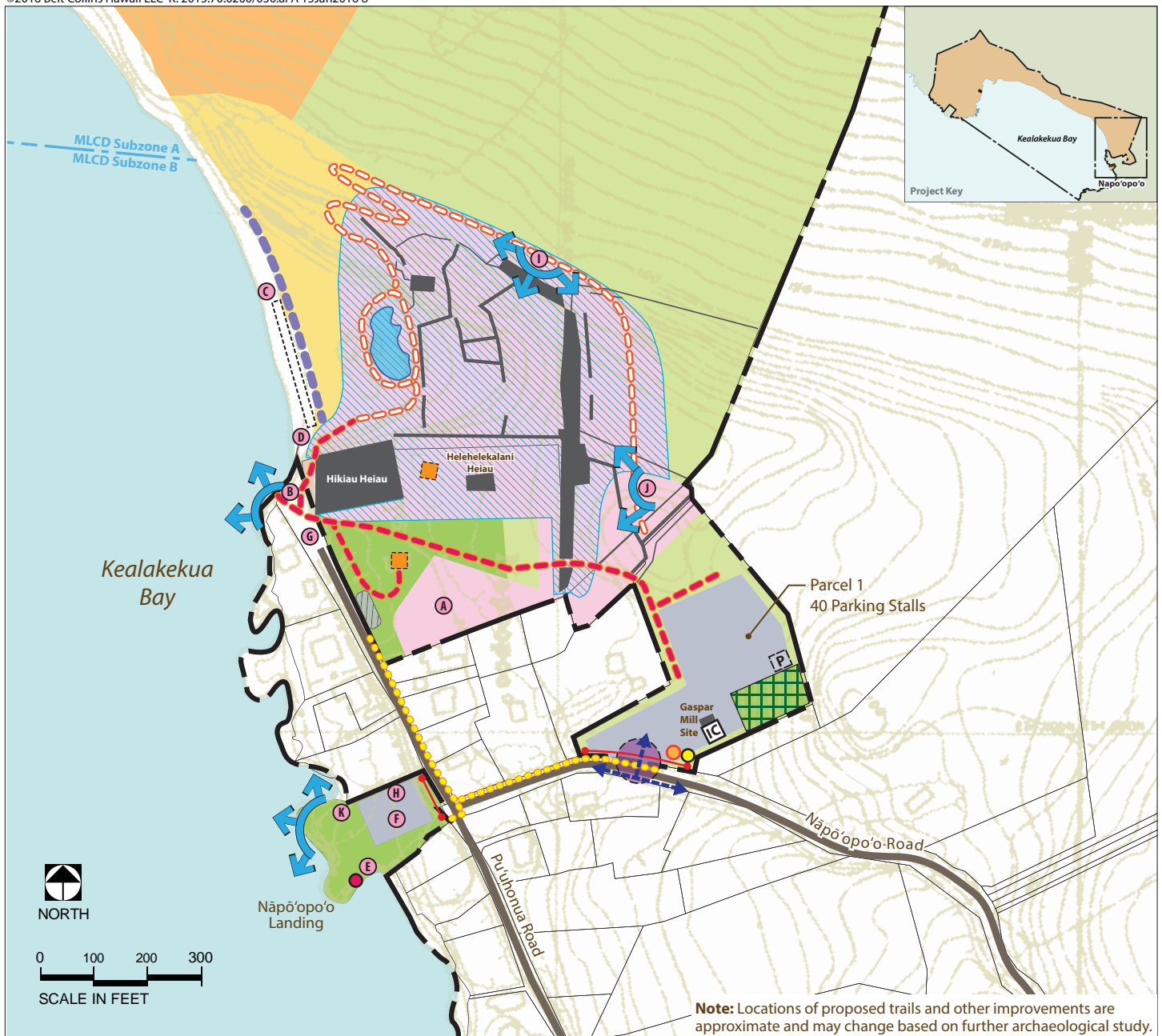
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- Rockfall Hazard Buoys
- State Park Boundary Buoys

Elements

- Captain Cook Monument and Wharf
- 'Āwili; storm beach landing and kayak storage for permitted guided tours





Alternative C: Historical Focus-Nāpō'opo'o

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Master Plan

South Kona, Hawai'i

LEGEND

- Park Boundary
- TMK Parcels
- Archaeological Zone with Interpretation
- Community Park
- Parking
- ADA Parking
- Park Entry

Vegetation

- Non-native Forest
- Ornamental Landscaping
- Cliff and Scree
- Coastal Strand
- Restoration of the Cultural Landscape

Circulation

- County Road

- Primary Vehicle Circulation
- Controlled Access (locked gate)
- ADA Accessible Path
- Pedestrian Path on County Road
- Interpretive Trail

Features

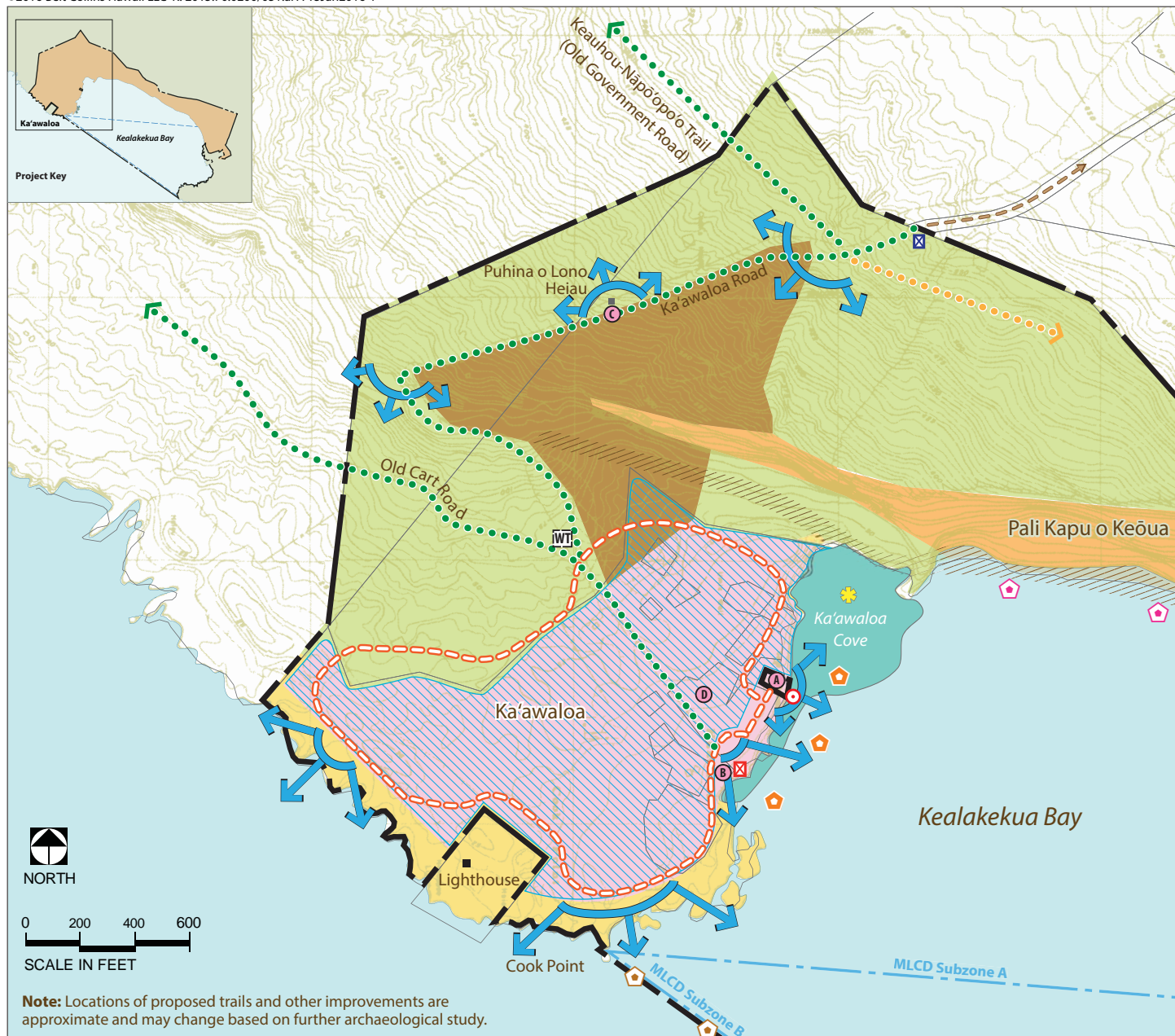
- Historic Site
- Pond
- Pavilion (Restroom, shower)
- Views
- Kayak/Vessel and Canoe Shuttle Launch
- Sign "All Visitor Parking"
- Park Sign
- Low Rock Wall
- Partially Restored Beach; boulders removed above high water mark

- Interpretation Station(s)
- Interpretive Center with exhibits, gift shop, food sales, and restroom

Elements

- Cultural Gathering Area
- Bay overlook, marine life interpretation, and park rules signage
- Nāpō'opo'o Beach
- Clear path of beach boulders
- Improved water entry point
- Restricted Parking; no public vehicle access
- Work with County to close road; local/service traffic only
- DOCARE staging and storage
- Priestly Compound Overlook
- Great Wall Overlook
- Thatched Shelter for canoe shuttle and visitor services





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- Coastal Strand
- Restoration of the Cultural Landscape

Circulation

- Unimproved Road
- Historic Trail
- Historic Trail - Closed
- Interpretive Trail

Features

- Views
- Fair Wind Mooring
- Sign: "No Commercial Activity without a permit, No Launching, Operation, or Landing Vessels without a Permit"
- Welcome Sign at Park Entry
- Canoe Shuttle Launch/Landing



Waterless Toilet



Rockfall Hazard Buoys



State Park Boundary Buoys

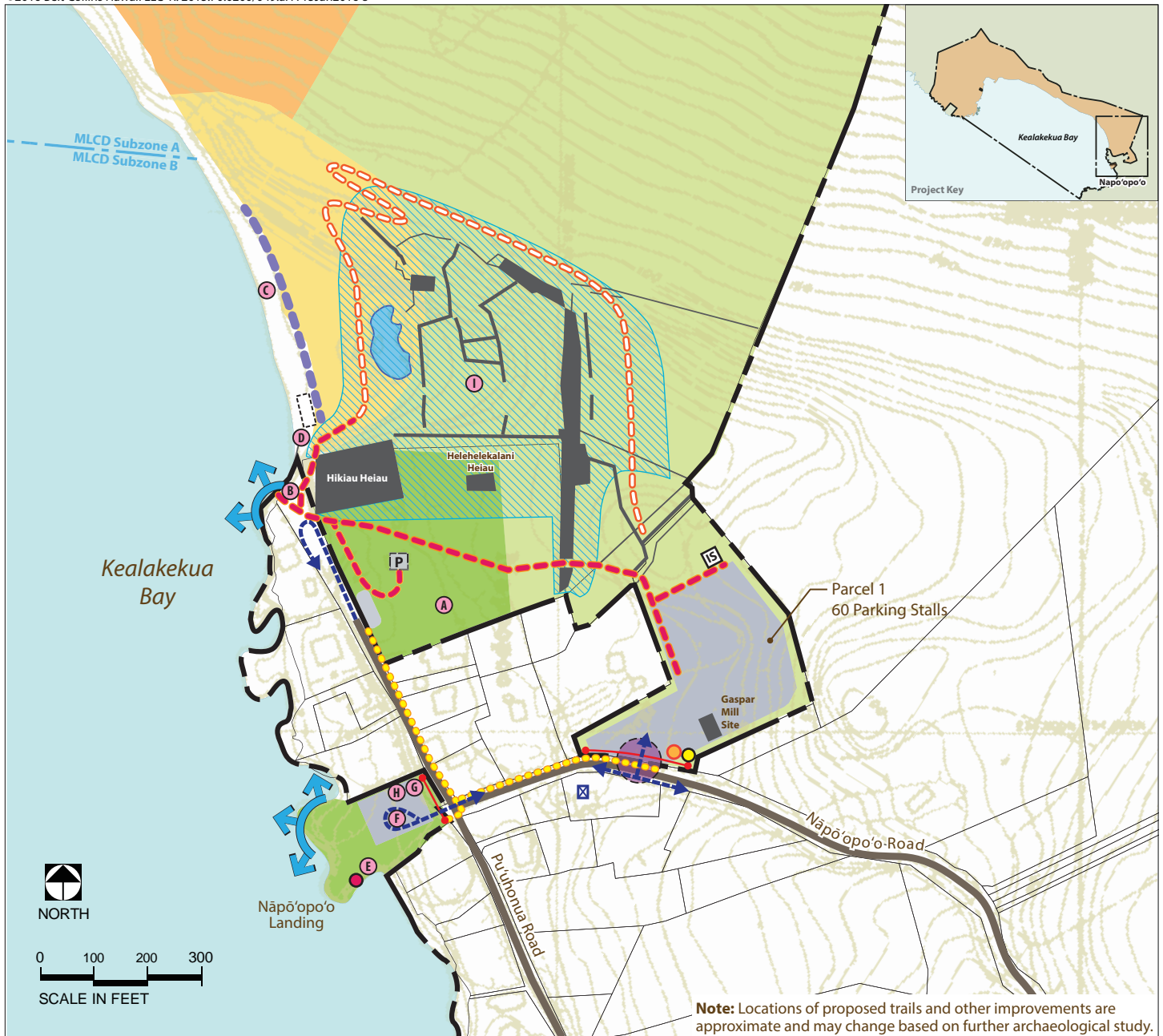


Swim-Snorkel/No Powerboat Zone

Elements

- A** Captain Cook Monument and Wharf; repairs to Wharf for canoe shuttle landings
- B** 'Āwili; no vessel landings
- C** Interpretive Wayside Exhibit
- D** Interpretive Shelter with exhibits and staff





Alternative B: Recreational and Historical Balance–Nāpō'opo'o

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- Parking
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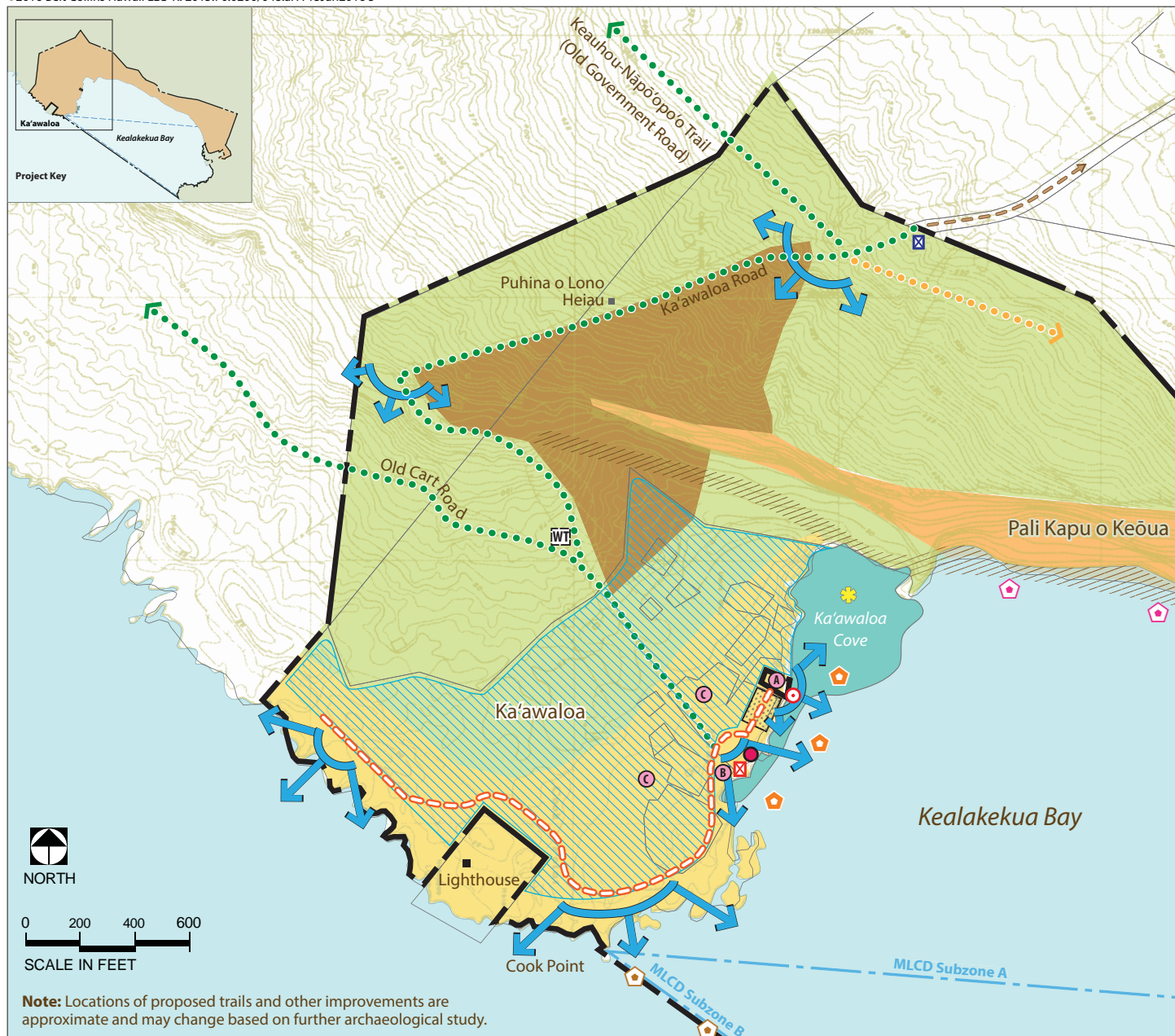
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- Partially Restored Beach; boulders removed above high water mark
- Interpretive Shelter with exhibits, gift shop, staff, and restroom

Elements

- A** Open Space
- B** Bay overlook, marine life interpretation, and park rules signage
- C** Nāpō'opo'o Beach
- D** Clear path of beach boulders
- E** Improved water entry point
- F** Restricted Parking, non-commercial vessel drop-off
- G** Mobile food concession, portable restroom
- H** DOCARE staging and storage
- I** Remove invasive vegetation; work to restore native landscape and historic features





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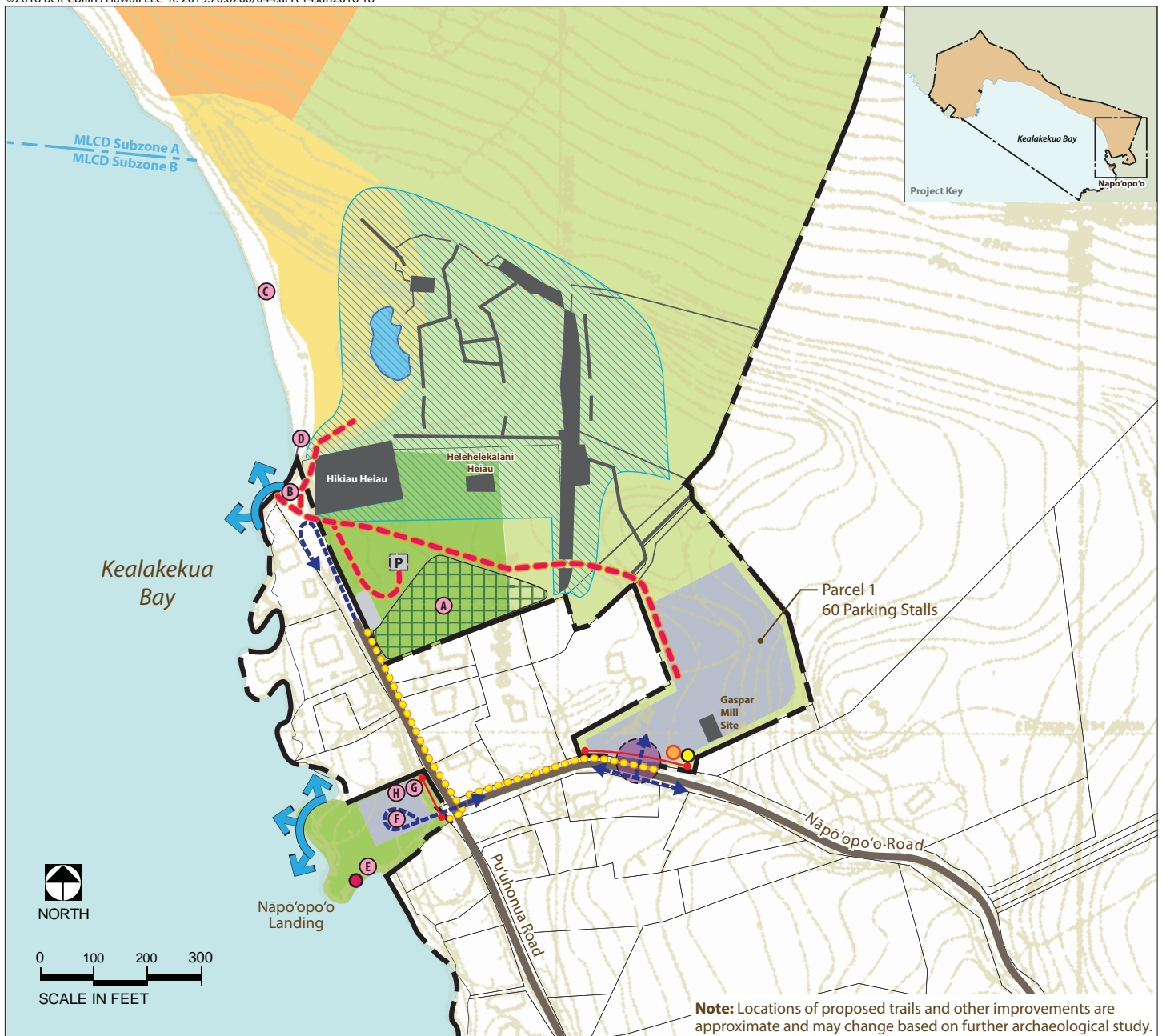
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Elements

- (A) Captain Cook Monument and Wharf; repairs to Wharf for canoe shuttle landings
- (B) Āwili; storm beach landing and kayak storage for permitted guided tours and limited assisted landings
- (C) Selective removal of vegetation around cultural sites





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